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the first Office Action on the merits.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, submission of
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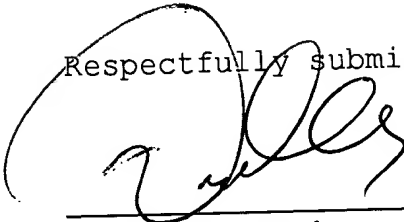
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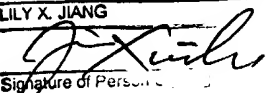
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98,
applicants hereby make the following document of record in
the above identified application:
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Other Documents

Service, "Sequencing: Picking Up the Pace of
Sequencing", *Science*, 280:995 (1998)

A copy of the aforementioned document, which is
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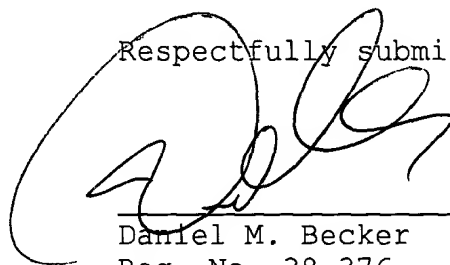
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An early and favorable action is respectfully
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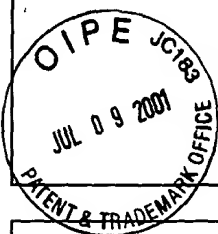
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